FISCAL NOTE

HB 2407 - SB 2598

February 21, 2000

SUMMARY OF BILL: Adds a new section to the law involving assaults that would require a person to immediately undergo HIV testing when arrested for aggravated assault involving serious bodily injury when the assaulted person is a law enforcement officer, firefighter, correctional officer, youth services officer, probation officer, registered security officer, emergency medical or rescue worker while performing official duties. The arrestee would be responsible for the cost of the test and other expenses.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - Not Significant

Increase Local Govt. Expenditures - Not Significant

Most of the occupations listed are already covered by other provisions of the law regarding HIV exposure and testing is currently required.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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